

30513. NICOTIANA TABACUM L.**Tobacco.**

From Manicaragua, Santa Clara, Cuba. Presented by Mr. Francisco A. Montero, Santa Clara, Santa Clara Province, Cuba. Received April 18, 1911.

"Considered by experts of this country as the best variety of tobacco in the island of Cuba." (*Montero.*)

30514. CASTILLA PANAMENSIS Cook. Central American rubber.

From Panama. Collected by Mr. H. Pittier, Bureau of Plant Industry. Received April 20, 1911.

One of the six rubber-producing trees of this genus native to Panama, where it was collected by the Smithsonian Institution Biological Survey of the Canal Zone.

Seeds.

30515. PASSIFLORA EDULIS Sims.**Passion fruit.**

From Raratonga, Cook Islands. Presented by Mr. North Winship, American consul, Tahiti, Society Islands. Received April 20, 1911.

"These fruits are not grown in Tahiti, but are imported as a table fruit." (*Winship.*)

30516 to 30521.

From Buitenzorg, Java. Presented by the Director of Agriculture. Received April 21, 1911.

Seeds of the following:

30516 and 30517. TALAUMA MUTABILIS Blume.

30516. See No. 28794 for previous introduction.

30517. Variety *longifolia*.

30518 to 30521. DIOSPYROS spp.

These species were introduced for the work of testing all the procurable species of this genus as stocks for the better varieties and for breeding purposes.

30518. DIOSPYROS DISCOLOR Willd.

30519. DIOSPYROS sp.

30520. DIOSPYROS CAULIFLORA Blume.

Distribution.—At an elevation of 500 feet on the calcareous mountains in the province of Bantam, Java.

30521. DIOSPYROS MACROPHYLLA Blume.

Distribution.—On the slopes of the mountains in the island of Java.

30522 to 30584.

From Tiflis, Caucasus, Russia. Presented by Mr. A. Rolloff, director, Botanic Garden. Received April 18, 1911.

Seeds of the following:

30522. PAEONIA CORALLINA Retz.

Peony.

Distribution.—Central and southern Europe, and eastward to Armenia and northern Persia.

30523. PAEONIA MLOKOSSEWITSCHI Lomakin.

Peony.

See No. 27674 for previous introduction.

30524. CASTALIA ALBA (L.) Greene.

Water lily.

Distribution.—Lakes and slow streams throughout Europe, and in northern and central Asia.

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